



Docket No. N2021-1

The US Postal Service filed a request for an advisory opinion from the Commission regarding proposed changes to service standards for First-Class Mail and end-to-end Periodicals on April 21, 2021. In general, when the US Postal Service seeks certain changes with rates and/or services, a notice is filed with the Commission. This notice triggers a proceeding, and the Commission establishes a docket to review the Postal Service proposal for consistency with the requirements of title 39. Accordingly, the Commission established a public proceeding for Docket N2021-1, which the public may view on the Commission's website, www.prc.gov via [Docket N2021-1](#). [Order No. 5875](#) contains the initial procedural schedule and information regarding this docket and changes to the initial procedural deadlines responding to the needs of the case are available for public viewing via Docket N2021-1.

Any interested person, including anyone that has not previously filed a notice of intervention and become a party to this proceeding, may file a Statement of Position. See 39 CFR 3020.123(g), *see also* 39 CFR 3010.142(a). A Statement of Position is limited to the existing record and may not include any new evidentiary material. See 39 CFR 3020.123(g). Filings styled as a brief or comments, conforming with the content and timing requirements, shall be deemed Statements of Positions. A Statement of Position must be submitted through our electronic online filing system by June 11, 2021. You will need to select the "Apply Online for a Temporary Account" at <https://www.prc.gov/filingonline/accounts>, to open a temporary account and subsequently file your Statement of Position. For assistance or questions regarding filing online, our dockets clerk will be happy to help and may be reached at 202-789-6847.

By law, the Commission's final opinion is advisory in nature. 39 U.S.C. § 3661. The law does not give the Commission authority to veto any of the Postal Service's service changes. As a result, the Postal Service is not required to implement or take any further action with regard to the Commission's opinion.